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Inspection Report

Minerals Regulatory Program

June 3, 2008

Reviewed: LK

Mine Name: Cloudy Moon
Operator Name: Moon Mountain Stone

Permit number: S0370116
Inspection Date: April 29, 2008
Time: 9:50-10:10

Inspector(s): Paul Baker
Other Participants: None
Mine Status: Reclaimed

Weather: Partly cloudy, 60s

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Purpose of Inspection:

I needed to see whether the site had been reclaimed to abate violation MN2007-03-09. This violation had been written because the operator failed to reclaim when the Division required reclamation after more than five years of inactivity.

Inspection Summary:

7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)
There was not a lot of regrading to do, but the operator's contractor has completed the grading and did a good job. The site was moderately rough, and the contractor spread juniper slash around. I found seed but no seedlings.

Conclusions and Recommendations:

Violation MN2007-03-09 has been abated and can be terminated. The Division and the operator will need to monitor the site for revegetation success.

The reclamation surety in the amount of \$10,000.00 is held by SITLA.

Inspector's Signature Michael Murphy

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cc: Michael Murphy, Moon Mountain Stone
John Blake, SITLA

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Photo 1. These four photos show various views of the site, including both the west and east quarries.



Photo 4.



Photo 2.



Photo 3.